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George Bush announced today that he would not remain as Director of Central Intelligence after January 20, 1977.

In doing so he pledged his continuing full assistance to President-Elect Carter during the transition period.

Mr. Bush informed President Ford and President-Elect Carter of his decision.

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